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Applicant's claim amendment, received 03/16/09, is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the amendment cancels all claims drawn to the elected invention (i.e. composition) and presents only claims drawn to the non-elected invention (i.e. method of use). See MPEP 821.03. Hence, the remaining claims are not readable on the elected invention since the pending claims directed to a method of use were previously withdrawn in the Office action, mailed 11/14/08), and have not been subsequently rejoined. Further, applicant is only entitled to examination of the originally presented claims. To the extent that pending claims are directed to withdrawn subject matter, applicant's claim amendment is not found to be fully responsive to the previous Office action.

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